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SUBJECT: PRIVACY ACT

REF: LETTER TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL DATED SEPT 9
LETTER TO CHAIRMAN OF APPEALS BOARD DATED SEPT 24

1. UNANSWERED LETTERS UNDER REFERENCE REQUESTED OPPORTUNITY
"TO LEARN OF, GAIN ACCESS TO, AND CONTEST THE ACCURACY OF
INFORMATION" CONTAINED IN PERSONNEL FILES, AS DECREED UNDER
PRIVACY ACT DESCRIBED IN AUGUST-SEPTEMBER DEPARTMENT OF STATE
NEWSLETTER.

2. IF THIS LAW IS TO HAVE MEANING IN MY OWN CASE, IT WILL
HAVE TO BE IMPLEMENTED PRIOR TO CONVENING OF OCTOBER 28
SELECTION BOARDS, MY LAST CHANCE TO MAKE CAREER MINISTER AND
REMAIN IN THE FOREIGN SERVICE.

3. DEPT IS THEREFORE RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED TO INFORM ME
WHETHER I SHALL BE GIVEN ACCESS TO ALL MATERIALS, SUCH AS CHIEF
OF MISSION EVALUATIONS, AVAILABLE TO SELECTION BOARDS OR
INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS THEREOF, WHICH HAVE CONSIDERED OR WILL CONSIDER
ME FOR CAREER MINISTER.

4. MY SUBJECTIVE MOTIVATION COMBINES DESIRE FOR RECOGNITION OF
SERVICE WELL PERFORMED AND NEED FOR BOTH INCREASED RETIREMENT
BENEFITS ACCRUING FROM ADDITIONAL SERVICE AND INCREASED SALARY
AFTER SIX YEARS OF FREEZE. MY OBJECTIVE MOTIVATION IS THAT AT
58 I STILL HAVE A CONTRIBUTION TO MAKE TO THE FOREIGN SERVICE
AND I WOULD LIKE TO THINK THAT THE SERVICE HAS NO ONE WHO CAN DO
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